

seems that our patient had a low-grade *Aspergillus* species infection in the sequestered lung segment in the right paratracheal region. Because the mass persisted despite itraconazole therapy, excision was requested.

So far as we are aware, this is a unique case of pulmonary sequestration presenting as a right paratracheal mass with *Aspergillus* species infection. During literature review, we came across a case of pulmonary sequestration presenting as a retroperitoneal mass described by Nelson, Blum, and Cook,⁴ suggesting that pulmonary sequestration can manifest in unusual forms.

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